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In re Applicant of  
Shumpel Yamazaki  
Application No. 09239948  
Filed: January 29, 1999  
Attorney Docket No. 0756-1930

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL  
FROM ISSUE  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.313(b)

The above-identified application is withdrawn from issue after payment of the issue fee due to unpatentability of one or more claims. See 37 CFR 1.313(b)(3).

The above-identified application is hereby withdrawn from issue.

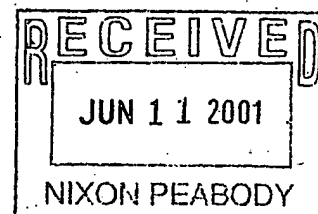
The issue fee is refundable upon written request. If however, the application is again found allowable, the issue fee can be applied toward payment of the issue fee in the amount identified on the new Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due upon written request. This request and any balance due must be received on or before the due date noted in the new Notice of Allowance in order to prevent abandonment of the application.

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Rolf Hills, Director

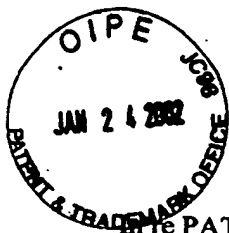
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Docket No. 740756-1930

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: PATENT application of:

Shunpei YAMAZAKI et al.

Serial No. 09/239,948

Filed: January 29, 1999

For: A MEMORY DEVICE HAVING A  
FLOATING GATE

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) Art Unit: 2811

) Examiner: Gene Munson

) Confirmation No. 6729

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**LETTER REGARDING PAYMENT OF ISSUE FEE**

Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the Issue Fee paid on December 12, 2000 be applied towards the current Issue Fee due March 17, 2002. Due to the increase in the Issue Fee, attached is our check in the amount of \$40.00 to cover the increase. Also, attached is the new Issue Fee Transmittal Form PTOL-85(b), along with a copy of *Notice of Withdrawal from Issue* indicating that the Issue Fee may be reapplied in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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**SUBMISSION OF CORRECTED FORMAL DRAWINGS  
IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY**

Commissioner for Patents  
Box Issue Fee  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowability dated December 17, 2001, submitted herewith are 8 sheets of corrected formal drawings, consisting of Figures 1-10, for filing in the subject application.

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